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HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

The High School suffered two defeats last Saturday. The boy's basketball team was defeated by the team from Redwood with a score of 10 to 20. Campbell's ill success was due largely to a change in the line-up, made necessary by the injury of the center, and to the superior goal throwing of our opponents, especially of the free goals. The girl's basketball team lost a game to the University of the Pacific, the score being 17 to 22. This is a good showing for the girls in view of the fact that this was their first game for several months, while their opponents have been playing for some considerable time with much success.

Following the Lincoln program there will be a debate on the question of private ownership versus public ownership and control of our coal mines, forests and water powers. These series of debates are intended to assist in the choosing and training of the persons to represent the school in the contests with the other schools of the Debating League.

This Friday afternoon the pupils will give a short program in honor of Lincoln's birthday, in the assembly room. It is expected that some of the veterans will be present and assist in the program.

Preparations are being made for the annual series of athletic contests to be held at the High School on "Old Settlers' Day," immediately after the afternoon session.

This Friday afternoon at 3 P. M., on the High School court, the boys' basketball team will meet a team from the Y. M. C. A. of San Jose in a practice game.

On Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock the girls' team have a game scheduled with the San Jose High School team.

Mrs. M. J. Wilson, in company with her daughter, Mrs. M. E. Hoerler, has returned home from a two weeks' trip in Redding and other cities north, bringing with them little Ella E. Hoerler, baby daughter of Ernest, son of Mrs. Hoerler, who will make her future home with her grandmother. She having been appointed guardian of the child.

IMPROVEMENT CLUB County Supervisors Will Not Call Election on Library Question

The Improvement Club held its regular meeting last Monday night. In the absence of the secretary, E. R. Kennedy wielded the pen.

Mr. Sawyer reported that the County Promotion Committee had asked the Board of Supervisors to levy a special tax of 1-cent on the \$100 for county advertising and promotion work.

It was moved and carried that Mr. Sawyer be paid \$5.00 from the treasury of the club for the initiation fee as member of the County Promotion Committee.

The committee appointed to repair the halyards on the flagpole was given a vote of thanks and discharged.

The District Library committee reported that they had met with the committee from the Countrymen's Club and had learned that the Supervisors had decided not to call an election on the county library question. The committee therefore recommended that the idea of forming a Library district be abandoned for the present, as few people would be in favor of increased taxation.

The matter of the annual celebration of Old Settlers' Day, on Feb. 22nd, was discussed. It was reported that all necessary committees had been appointed.

A resolution was unanimously passed that all the ladies of the congregations of both the local churches be requested to remove their hats or to take seats in the rear part of the church; and it was further ordered that a copy of this resolution be handed to each of the pastors of the churches.

Mr. Hayes Writes Mr. Coates

We print herewith an extract from an interesting letter from Mr. Hayes from Washington:

January 19th, 1910.

Mr. D. H. Coates, Campbell, Cal.

My dear friend:

Your favor of the 10th instant is duly at hand. Please accept my thanks for your words of approbation and your assurances of loyal friendship, which I deeply appreciate. The people of the country have been entirely misinformed. The President has not withheld patronage from any of the insurgents, at least not on the ground of their fight against Cannon and the rules of the House. He has so informed me repeatedly, and so far as I can learn, with a single exception, none of the insurgents claim that this has been done. I believe that the President is all right, and is in entire sympathy with what we are trying to do, but of course, he has to be discreet, and cannot take sides in a matter of this kind affecting one of the legislative bodies. I have gotten very close to him within the last week or two, and I have every confidence in his honesty of purpose and his thorough loyalty to the interests of the people.

E. A. HAYES.

"The Queen of Fame"

A novel and interesting entertainment is to be given by the Ladies' Guild of the Congregational Church on Friday evening, Feb. 18th. Twenty-five of the famous women of history will be represented by ladies of the Guild. Some of the characters are Samantha Allen, Carrie Nation, Frances Willard, Tabithy Primrose, Betsie Bobbitt, Elizabeth Browning, Queen Elizabeth, Goddess of Liberty, Pocahontas and Martha Washington. Admission, 25 and 15 cents.

Officers Installed

Roosevelt Local No. 70, Farmer's Educational and Co-operative Union of America, held its regular monthly meeting last Friday night and installed officers for the ensuing year. County President F. J. Courrier was present and conducted the installation services. The new officers are as follows: President, E. K. Clendenning; Vice-President, D. W. Waite; Secretary-Treasurer, F. E. Duncan; Chaplain, Mrs. L. F. Moulton; Conductor, G. H. Hubbard; Doorkeeper, Robert Leonard; Directors, Mrs. D. W. Waite, H. P. Fairfield, and A. B. Capp.

Justice Farley has been appointed a register clerk for Campbell township, and can be found at the Library building during the day. Registry can also be made by Mr. Plimpton at the Bank of Campbell. It is required that all who wish to vote at the coming primaries must register.

OIL NEWS

On the Main place work is progressing right along under the foremanship of Mr. Van Ness, who built the former derricks at that place. On the Anderson place they are about ready to begin operations with an engine. The lumber is at Los Gatos for a derrick on the Lint place. They expect to begin work there about the first of next week.

UNION DISTRICT

Last Saturday evening the Progressive Euchre Club held its second meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Webster. The rooms were artistically decorated in green and red draperies. Edwin Howes and Quito Scott captured the first prizes, while the booby prizes fell to H. A. Craig and Miss Susie Norton. At a late hour the club adjourned to meet with Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Francis Feb. 19.

At the F. E. C. U. meeting held on Friday evening, Jan. 28, the following officers were elected for the coming year. President, H. A. Craig; Vice-President, Wm. H. Lawrence; Secretary-Treasurer, W. A. Riggs. During the evening many new subjects were brought up at which P. B. Payne of Moreland and F. G. Currier of Lincoln were the chief speakers.

Miss Rachel Riggs of Los Gatos spent the week's end with her grandmother, Mrs. P. E. Riggs.

Clarence Moffit of Sacramento enjoyed a few days' visit with relatives during the past week.

MORELAND

The children of J. E. Weisendanger have been quite ill for several days.

The Moreland Good Will Club held their annual Guest Day at the home of Mrs. Hyde. Mrs. Wasburn of San Jose, Mrs. Janes of Campbell and Mrs. Husted of Saratoga contributed to the program. The affair was on the whole very enjoyable.

A. A. Hiatt and family are now comfortably settled in their new home on Moorpark Ave.

Mr. Geo. Payne recently returned from a business trip to Santa Rosa.

Mrs. A. M. McBride is recovering from her recent illness.

The Moreland Farmers' Union held their regular meeting Monday evening.

Miss Schureman, recently of New York, now teaching in the San Jose Normal, has been visiting her friend Mrs. F. G. Wells.

Mrs. McCarty and daughter Guerna have been home from Sonoma Co. for a short time.

You will need a good dinner on Old Settlers' Day. Go to the Home Dining Room. Rest room for ladies with babies.

OLD SETTLERS' DAY

All Arrangements Are Being Made for a Great Celebration

The various committees have been appointed and an excellent program is being prepared.

In Honor of Mrs. Lucy Relfe

A farewell surprise party was given Mrs. Lucy Relfe Thursday evening, Feb. 3rd by a number of the members of Ada Rebekah Lodge.

A beautiful silver berry spoon was presented to her in behalf of the members by Mrs. M. J. Wilson as a token of esteem, and appreciation of her efficient work in the Order. The evening was spent socially, with many expressions of best wishes.

The W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. Bull, No. 1st St., on Wednesday, Feb. 16th, at 2:30 o'clock.

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H. V. Archibald.

W. C. T. U.

A very interesting meeting of Campbell Woman's Christian Temperance Union was held last week at the pleasant home of Mrs. Gilman; about twenty ladies being present. It was decided to accept the offer of Los Gatos Medal Contest Superintendent to bring a class to Campbell and hold a Gold Medal Contest. The report of Mrs. Bainbridge's work in behalf of Scientific Temperance and Purity in our public schools, was quite encouraging. The attendance at the mothers' meeting and lectures was fair and it is hoped good was accomplished.

It was voted to observe the Frances Willard Memorial day with special evangelistic service on Feb. 16, also to extend the time of "membership week" to one month and close with a reception to new members.

Once a year Unions all over the world are asked to hold a Frances Willard Memorial Day and take an offering for the National organization fund, which carries the gospel of temperance to remote localities; often establishing the first Christian organization in lonely regions. The next meeting of Campbell Union will be held with Mrs. Bull. The following is the program:

Devotional.
Business. Christian Citizenship.
Topics for discussion: "What is the most serious problem confronting your village?" by Mrs. Cooper. "What conditions are most helpful?" "Dangers of Sabbath desecration." "Our Unconscious Influence," by Mrs. Farley.

A cordial invitation is extended to the ladies of Campbell and vicinity to attend the meetings of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, held once in two weeks.

The ladies of Campbell W. C. T. U. are planning to give one of their excellent dinners at the Coffee Club, on Feb. 22.

For those who do not wish to take the trouble of carrying dishes and food to the Cannery, here is an opportunity to have a day of recreation. The ladies will be glad to serve you, and will give you a right good dinner.

Congregational Church.

The Theme Sunday will be "Peter," being fourth in the series of character studies leading up to Easter.

In the evening will be the regular bi-monthly Union meeting, both for young people's meeting and Church service. Rev. Mr. Wilson will preach.

The Congregational Church is looking forward to a treat. Dr. T. O. Douglass, a life-long friend of the Pastor, and one whom Congregationalists in the U. S. love to call "The Grand Old Man of Iowa," will be here Feb. 25. The Church is planning a reception for Dr. Douglass and Sec. L. D. Rathbone on that date.

The Pastor will speak to the children on "Wise Doves," a five-minute talk before the regular morning sermon.

At the Sunday School hour next Sunday at the Congregational Church there will be some special features, it being "London Sunday." There will be responsive readings, short talks on themes appropriate for the occasion and music.

All are cordially invited to come, help and enjoy the exercises.

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NEWS OF WEEK FROM ALL THE COAST STATES

Occurrences Along the Pacific Slope Presented in Com- pendious Array.

Passing Events Among Your Neigh- bors Briefly Told in Short, Newsy Paragraphs.

San Francisco.—The Western Pacific is using oil for fuel between this city and Winnemucca, Nev., and using coal from Winnemucca east to Salt Lake City.

Marysville.—Michael Sullivan, a prominent resident of this city, fell down a flight of stairs at his lodging-house and when found he was dead. The skull was fractured.

Stockton.—A defective flue in the tailor shop of O. Clint & Son, at Turlock, Stanislaus county, caused a \$25,000 fire, eight frame store buildings being destroyed. There was little insurance.

Marysville.—County Horticultural Commissioner G. W. Harney has a movement on foot to hold a poultry show in this city on March 1st, 2d and 3d. One thousand dollars in prizes will be awarded.

Red Bluff.—The suit brought by A. E. Moore against the county supervisors charging extravagance in expenditure of public funds was thrown out of court on a demurrer filed by attorneys representing the supervisors.

Redding.—The Evening Star mine, in old diggings four miles north of Redding, has been sold for \$115,000 to German investors. The Evening Star is a gold mine that has been worked for twenty-five years and has been a producer all the time.

Seattle.—Samuel Vanderford, a carpenter, aged 59, shot and killed his wife, Celestine, aged 58, at their home in Hillman City and fatally wounded himself. Vanderford was released from Stollacoom insane asylum recently, and was irrationally jealous of his wife.

San Rafael.—A boulevard from the east gate of San Quentin prison through the town and around the point toward Schuetzen park is being constructed through the combined efforts of Warden Hoyle and Supervisor Michael Burke. Burke furnishes the rock crusher and the warden supplies a strong force of convicts and several teams.

Stanford University.—Professor G. J. Pierce of the local botany department has been granted an important commission by two of the best-known scientific institutions of the country. He will make a careful research of the plant growths found in the marshes about the San Francisco bay. Especial attention will be given to the growths in the salt works in San Mateo and Alameda counties.

Los Angeles.—That he expended \$32,300 on his wife in a year and that all he got in return was cuffs and scratches is the allegation of Attorney George S. Huff, who was married in San Francisco, December 8th, 1908, to Mrs. Sam Schenck, who secured a divorce from former Police Commissioner Schenck in this city. Huff was her counsel, and in successfully prosecuting her suit lost his heart to his fair client. Now he has filed suit for divorce.

Petaluma.—A large increase in the population of this city in the last few years was brought to the notice of the Board of Education by the report of the principals of the local schools. The crowded condition of the high school brought out a lengthy report from Principal Ivan Passmore. Philip Sweed, president of the Board of Education, declared that three new schools would have to be provided quickly and recommend that the city be bonded for \$55,000 for the purpose.

Tacoma, Wash.—Rev. McKendree A. Casey, D. D., pastor of the First Methodist Church until last month, has withdrawn from the Methodist ministry and is now with his invalid wife in California. Confronted with charges of immorality at Everett, whence he came here, he has sent to Presiding Elder Elliott his ordination papers, which amounts to a complete withdrawal from the ministry. Elliott says Casey admitted wrongdoing in the letter accompanying the returned papers.

NEED STATISTICAL BUREAU FOR BENEFIT OF FARMERS

State University Will Attempt to Secure Assistance From Government.

Berkeley.—Professor Leroy Anderson, manager of the university farm and prominent in the faculty of the college of agriculture, who has just returned from a trip east, is making an effort to have the federal government establish a bureau at the university in charge of an expert who shall collect data as to the work that is being done by the farmer. Similar bureaus have been established in Michigan and Wisconsin.

The government stations, established only two years, have already collected valuable statistics. Professor Anderson is of the opinion that a local bureau is much needed.

Until one is established he will collect data from 15 farmers as to the character, amount and cost of work that they are doing and forward the results for the year to the federal authorities in Washington.

American Catholics Growing.

Milwaukee, Wis.—There are 22,587, 079 Catholics under the American flag, according to advance sheets of the official Catholic Directory, published in Milwaukee. The count includes Catholics of the United States proper, Alaska, the Philippines, Porto Rico and the Hawaiian islands. The Catholic population under the British flag, according to the same directory, is 12,053,418. In the United States proper there are 14,347,027 Catholics, showing a gain of 111,576 over a year ago. In California there are 391,500 Catholics.

Imports Free of Duty.

Washington.—More than half of the merchandise imported under the new tariff law enters the United States free of duty. This is shown by the bureau of statistics in monthly statements of imports since the new law went into effect, August 6, 1909. The principal articles in this total of non-dutiable imports for 1909 were hides and skins, India rubber, pig tin, raw silk, fibers, cotton, copper, coffee, tea, cocoa, chemicals, art works and undressed furs.

Cramped Broker Busted.

Chicago.—Cramps of the stomach, which came on at the same time he was in financial difficulty, were given by John Dickinson, former broker, as one of the reasons for his failure when he was examined before Referee in Bankruptcy Eastman. "Things were bad," said Dickinson. "Thursday one of my largest creditors made a demand for \$20,000. Friday I got the cramps. Then I decided to quit."

Ship and Entire Crew Lost.

Norfolk, Va.—With a northwest wind blowing at fifty-two miles an hour, the three-masted schooner Frances, Captain Coombs, from New York to Jacksonville, Fla., was washed ashore on the Hatteras coast and was pounded to pieces. Before life-savers could reach the vessel fourteen men were lost.

No Prohibition for Kentucky.

Frankfort, Ky.—Hope for prohibition legislation at the present session of the Legislature was killed when, by a vote of 16 to 14, the Senate referred the Watkins county unit local option bill to the Committee on Religion and Morals, which is admittedly adverse to the measure.

Twenty-one New Warships for Japan.

Tokio.—Twenty-one warships to be added to the Japanese navy before 1917 are included in the new naval program. Four Dreadnoughts, five cruisers and two dispatch boats, included in the program, are nearing completion and the other vessels will be laid down soon.

Canada to Build Railway.

Ottawa, Ont.—Canada will begin the construction of a railway to Hudson bay next spring. The road will be built as a Government work, but probably will be operated by one of the existing private corporations or by several jointly.

Wealthy Mexican Aids Flood Sufferers.

Galveston, Tex.—A special from Hermosillo, Mexico, says that Pedro Cetarenas, the wealthiest man in Mexico, has just contributed to the poor more than \$500,000, most of which was distributed to the flood sufferers.

Liberal Gift for University.

Philadelphia.—Announcement is made by the trustees of the University of Pennsylvania that a gift of \$100,000 has been received for a chair in the medical department.

What the Nation's Lawmakers Are Doing at Washington

Washington.—Representative Englebright has introduced a bill for the reimbursement of the State of California for arms, ordnance and ordnance stores, quartermaster's supplies, medical property, signal property and other stores, supplies and property belonging to California that were lost or destroyed during the earthquake and fire. He asks that \$41,535.81 be placed to the credit of California on the books of the war department.

Approximately 769,167 acres of land were designated last week by Secretary Ballinger as open under the enlarged homestead act. Of this amount, 672,840 acres are in Wyoming, 34,540 in Montana, and 61,767 in New Mexico. Proposed legislation affecting the use and disposition of petroleum deposits in the public domain caused Mr. Ballinger also to withdraw temporarily 448,000 acres of land in California, making the total area of petroleum withdrawals in California to date, 2,400,453 acres.

Representative Champ Clark, Democratic leader of the House, has been informed that the first "Champ Clark for President" Club has been organized at Enid, Okla. Telegrams from Tulsa, Okla., have also been received

by the minority leader nominating him for speaker of the next Congress and then for President. Mr. Clark is not committing himself, just now, as to his candidacy for either office, he says.

The most powerful committee in the House of Representatives will make a thorough investigation of the cost of living in the United States, to ascertain costs of production and wholesale and retail profits, to inquire into the cost of living in foreign countries, and to recommend such legislation as will contribute to restore prices to the normal level.

The "Dreadnought" type of battleship necessitates the enlargement of all the dry docks of the United States, which will cost one or two million dollars, according to a statement made by Secretary Meyer before the House Naval Committee. Secretary Meyer told the committee a new dry dock was needed at Norfolk at a cost of \$2,000,000; that the New York dry dock would have to be enlarged at a cost of \$1,000,000; that the one at Pearl Harbor, which is being built at a cost of \$2,000,000, should be enlarged at a cost of \$425,000, and that the dock at Puget sound should be widened at an additional cost of \$325,000.

Uncle Sam and John Bull May Sprint for South Pole

Washington.—Commander Robert E. Peary, discoverer of the North Pole, has made a proposition to the National Geographic Society which, if accepted, will mean that an American expedition will be on its way to discover the unconquered South Pole next fall.

On behalf of the Peary Arctic Club of New York, Commander Peary suggested that the club and the Geographic Society fit up a joint expedition to reach the South Pole.

"The Peary Arctic Club," he said, "would contribute the steamship Roosevelt, which could not be duplicated for \$150,000, provided the National Geographic Society would assume the responsibility for the first \$50,000 toward the cost of the expedition."

According to the plan suggested, all expenses above that sum are to be divided equally between the two organizations. Commander Peary esti-

mated that the total cost would be from \$75,000 to \$100,000.

The proposed expedition would start next fall and would reach Coast Land about March, 1911. This point is directly opposite the base of the British South Polar expedition. The two camps would be about 2000 miles apart and approximately the same distance from the Pole. It is estimated the explorers could reach the South Pole about December 31, 1911. Peary said that he could not conduct the expedition in person as the sledge work required so much physical exertion that it needed a younger man than he to undertake it.

The proposal was received with enthusiasm by the members of the board of managers of the Geographic Society, and the matter was referred to the finance and research committee, with instructions to report at a special meeting to be called at an early day.

Hindus Pouring Into California To Make Their Fortunes

San Francisco.—King Edward's dusky subjects from the land of chutney and curry, cholera, plague and caste prejudice are still coming this way. The liner Chiyo Maru, from the far east, brought 136 of these Hindus. With those brought by the Manchuria this makes 335 added last week to the Hindu population of this State.

A number of the turbaned dark men who arrived were asked why they had come to the United States. In every case the answer was the one word, "Money."

Few of these men from India have any trade at which they could work in this country, but they all expect to make a fortune in five or six years. One of those spoken to admitted that it might take him seven years.

These unbleached members of the great Aryan race are picturesque and odorous. Their aquiline features framed in white or colored turban are pleasing from an artistic point of view, but a blind man whose sense of smell was good could find them without difficulty on board ship, even with a strong afternoon breeze blowing across the deck.

The Hindoo laborer is considered an indifferent worker in warm weather, but when the temperature is low those who have employed the men of the race say he will lie down and shiver, often dying. Thousands of these subjects of King Edward were used in railroad construction work in British Columbia and are now being used in many parts of the United States.

Rural Mail May Some Day Be Carried by Aeroplane

New York.—The use of aeroplanes in rural free delivery is advocated by Wilbur R. Kimball, an instructor in aeronautics in the West Side Y. M. C. A. here.

"The practicability of the aeroplane has now been fully demonstrated," said Mr. Kimball to his class of would-be flyers.

"With the aeroplane, however, the

farmers' hard-earned free delivery would be above delays on account of storms and bad roads. His mail would be dropped in a little pouch from the aeroplane, which would then speed on to the next farm house to deliver its packet.

"Mail could easily be collected through an arrangement by which the aerial chauffeur could lower a hook and catch up packages by mail."

High Cost of Living Increasing Paupers and Suicides

New York.—Effects of the increased cost of living on the working classes are shown in the largely expanded number of applications to the city for aid, as disclosed in figures just made public here. The rising tide of inability to make income keep pace

with the living expenses is indicated in the fact that during the last 12 months more than 60,000 persons sought relief from the charities department, an increase of more than 50 per cent in five years. Suicides increased nearly 50 per cent

"LIQUID EGGS" SEIZED BY FOOD TRUST INVESTIGATORS

Also Find Thousands of Tons of Meat and Poultry in Cold Storage.

New York.—The Grand Jury, while seeking evidence to secure an indictment charging a conspiracy to control prices through the medium of cold storage, seized three hundred cans of "liquid eggs," such as are used as a means of victimizing the hotel keepers complained that some of their "strictly fresh" eggs supposed to come from nearby farms had been found penciled with the names of girls who live in Ohio and farther west.

In Swift & Co.'s plant in Jersey City the Grand Jury found stored 460,000 pounds of beef, 50,000 pounds of poultry and a great quantity of lamb, mutton, pork, butterine, sausage meat, hearts, livers and tripe.

Some of the meat, according to James Brady, superintendent of the plant, had been in storage since last April.

English Labor Exchanges Opened.

London.—Seven hundred and eighty labor exchanges throughout the country were opened last week, and by the end of July 150 more will be set going. All are under the direct control of the Board of Trade, and represent the Government's attempt to cope with the evils of unemployment, hitherto left to private or municipal enterprise. Henceforth national effort will be made to furnish every able-bodied, decent worker with a job. The plan is new in Great Britain, but it has been tried in France, Germany, Switzerland and Belgium.

No More Loose Coins for Postage.

Oakland.—The practice of slipping loose coins into mail boxes with letters in lieu of postage stamps must be stopped, according to Postmaster Paul Schaefer, who has just received a communication from the fourth assistant postmaster general at Washington condemning the practice. Hitherto the custom has been tolerated principally for the benefit of persons living on the rural free delivery routes, who are often unable to purchase stamps at home.

School Children to Build Battleship.

Hermosillo, Sonora.—The plan is suggested by Guaymas citizens and approved by Vice-President Corral, a native of this State, for every school child in Mexico to contribute 5 cents towards buying a battleship for presentation to the national government in commemoration of the centenary of Mexican independence next September. The ship would be called Centenario.

Zelaya Still Looking for Trouble.

New Orleans.—That Zelaya, deposed President of Nicaragua, is going to Europe to foment a revolution against Cabrera, President of Guatemala, is the assertion of General Alfonso Gallao, formerly of the Honduran army, who is in New Orleans. Zelaya sailed from Vera Cruz for Belgium a few days ago.

Chicago Schools Take Large Sums.

Chicago.—A budget calling for approximately \$13,300,000 for the Chicago public schools in 1910 was formerly approved by the finance committee of the Board of Education. Chairman Spiegel said it would be about \$500,000 more than last year's budget, which called for \$12,700,000.

Infant Crawls Into Grate.

Los Angeles.—While his mother was absent from the kitchen for a few moments the 7 months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Jean Morales crawled into the gas grate and was burned to death. The mother found her baby's body in the grate when she returned to the room.

Policeman Shoots Robber's Victim.

Chicago.—While shooting at an alleged pickpocket in a crowded street Policeman W. J. Sullivan shot Leon Berezinsk, the man upon whom the alleged attempt at robbery was made. Berezinsk was shot in the knee. The alleged robber was captured.

Gave Birth to 26 Children.

Niagara Falls, N. Y.—Mrs. Philip Webster, 42 years old, a few days ago gave birth to her twenty-sixth child. She was married when 16 years old. Five sets of twins and one set of triplets were born, but none of them lived.

Another Victim of Football.

Syracuse, N. Y.—Injuries received in a football game last fall resulted in the death here a few days ago of Wesley H. Kellogg, 20 years old. Death was due to paralysis.

WORLD'S NEWS PRESENTED IN BRIEF ITEMS

Events of Both Hemispheres Compiled in Pithy Form For Busy Readers.

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Louisville, Ky.—Councilman Henry V. Wolff choked to death on a piece of meat which he was eating at a free lunch counter in a saloon.

Leavenworth, Kas.—An epidemic of typhoid fever has broken out in the Federal prison here. Physicians attribute the disease to the impure water.

Winnipeg, Man.—The Canadian Pacific Railway will spend \$30,000,000 in Western Canada this year for extensions, bridges and shops and for double tracking the main line.

Paris.—It is estimated that more than a quarter of a million persons were affected by the recent floods. Thousands of those who lost everything will have to be aided for months to come.

Manila.—The Army of the Philippines will engage in maneuvers the last two weeks of this month. The operations will be in the vicinity of this city, and the full strength of the military will be divided into two opposing forces.

Chicago.—The Western Hotel Men's Protective Association is to be expanded so as to embrace the entire country, and will be known as the American Hotelkeepers Association. Samuel F. Dutton of Denver will be president of the enlarged organization.

Chicago.—At least one death in Chicago can be charged to the boycott on meat. After a vegetarian diet for four days, Goff Peller, a sign painter, could resist his craving for meat no longer and ravenously attacked a huge beefsteak. He choked to death on almost the first mouthful.

Peoria, Ill.—While fire was raging in the shaft and upper works a rescue party entered the escape shaft of the Sholl mine at South Bartonville, a mile away from the main shaft, and brought two miners, nearly dead from suffocation, to the surface. All the upper works and wooden construction in the main shaft were burned.

Magalia.—Pinned by a rock that rolled down the mountain side, Ben Higashi was blown seventy-five feet to the bed of the gully, both legs were broken, arms injured and internal injuries sustained that are considered fatal. He had set off two holes, and was trying to get away, when the rock pinned him to the spot. His comrades could not assist him.

St. Paul, Minn.—For being scared until she turned baldheaded, Tillie Ominsky, a factory girl, was awarded \$2000 by a jury in the Circuit Court here. She was caught in some machinery in a box factory where she was employed and during the trial just concluded physicians and surgeons testified that fright had so affected her nervous system that her hair fell from her head.

New York.—"The courts, their delays and the cost of litigation are justly criticised," says Justice David J. Brewer of the United States Supreme Court in an interview. "The seat of the whole trouble, in my opinion, is in the fact that too many appeals are granted when justice does not demand it. I advocate that the states enact laws to permit of but one appeal after the trial judge."

Washington.—Officials of the United States geological survey view with dismay the rapidity with which recent mine disasters have called for services of the few trained men at the command of the survey for aiding in mine rescue work. It was pointed out by officials tonight that if another mine disaster should occur before the men have finished their immediate tasks, the survey could not send men to assist.

Minneapolis.—As a result of a fright, Miss Christine Canfield, 21 years old, is totally blind. Miss Canfield was a stenographer in a business office. A few days ago her typewriter desk shut suddenly. Anticipating the crash and noise, she placed her hands over her eyes. The desk banged shut, and Miss Canfield took her hands off her eyes—to strange darkness. A surgeon says that Miss Canfield will recover her vision gradually.

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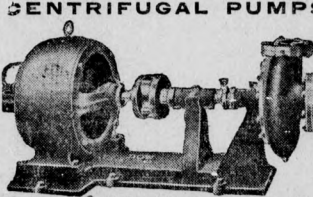
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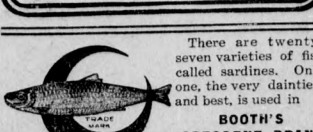
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A Century Ago. We are accustomed to think of masculine dress as to-day much simpler and much less costly than a hundred years ago. This may be true, but there were exceptions. In "The Taverners and Turnpikes of Blandford," S. G. Wood prints an inventory of the clothing and household goods of Col. Samuel Sloper, who had served his town in the war as well as in political matters.

Samuel Sloper was not arrayed in king's garments. His inventory, made in 1803, contains no mention of sword, not even a gun, nor buckles, nor any silver ornament of any kind, nor silk stockings; only a hat valued at thirty cents, one linen shirt at forty, "1 pair old velvet breeches," worth fifty cents; "1 fancy cotton vest," one dollar; "1 striped nankia vest," thirty-three cents; "1 pair buff breeches," a dollar and a half, and one pair of woolen hose. That was all. He must have been a man of simplicity.

His household goods were plain affairs, too, and seem to indicate that he had given up the business of public host before his demise, since he died possessed of but two bedsteads and four dining chairs, although his kitchen boasted nine chairs. The neighbors used to come in and occupy them and chat together, perhaps. There were only a half-dozen knives and forks and other paraphernalia of dining-room and kitchen to correspond.

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TWO LIBRARY SYSTEMS

By E. J. ANES

The citizens of Campbell and vicinity have now the opportunity of deciding between having a District Library of their own and having a small share in a County Library. If they do not bestir themselves very soon and form a Library District, the other system will probably be forced upon them.

The value of either system will depend very much upon the way in which it is administered. Campbell has already a free library of nearly 1500 volumes, which, considering the very small amount of money spent upon it, is remarkably well selected and useful.

Here, then, is a good beginning already made. If, then, our people take an interest in the matter, elect a competent library board, tax themselves liberally, and make an arrangement with the old Free Library, they will soon have a library worthy of the name, and far more useful and valuable to them than any County Library is likely to be.

The chief objections to this plan are two. 1. The law requires a District Library to be open every day in the year. Hence, unless the fund provided is liberal, the money will be nearly all consumed in salaries, and there will be very little left for books. In fact, this is notoriously the case already in many of the Carnegie Libraries.

2. On this plan we can not get any money for the library by taxation for nearly a year, as the Supervisors, under the law, cannot lay the tax until September next, while they are allowed to make a grant to the County Library immediately after the election, in April. On the other hand, if a County Library is liberally and intelligently conducted, it will undoubtedly be very useful to us, and give us access to a larger number of books than our local library is likely to contain.

But if the books are not well selected, or if the funds are all spent for salaries, or if larger towns—Santa Clara or Palo Alto, for instance—are given preference in distribution, then people living in and around Campbell will derive very little advantage from a county library situated in San Jose.

The law is complicated. The future seems uncertain. If our people can be aroused to take a more lively interest in books and in reading, in literature and in science, that will be a valuable result of all this discussion and investigation.

"Sh—Whisper it ever so softly, but Thursday morning was the second coldest morning ever registered at Santa Clara College, the thermometer hopping at a lively rate around 23 degree mark. Wouldn't it be an awful thing for our eastern admirers to learn of the scandalous actions of our glorious California climate."—Santa Clara Journal.

There is at least one man to whom the above would not be bad reading. The editor of the Press has for years been trying to induce his father and mother to sell out in the Hoosier state and move to California. The father is only sixty-five and doesn't think it is time yet to retire. Here is an extract from a letter just received: "We are having a good winter. It set in about the 7th of December and, excepting a few thaws, has kept it up. We have had good sleighing most of the time; it is splendid now. It has been below zero three or four times, but with all needed comforts we don't mind it. How much your folks are missing in sleigh rides and all other winter sports! Such a climate as California is too monotonous for me. I want the whole thing, to give a snap to life. That will do for old folks."

We are going to stop talking about the climate when writing home. We might speak of the sweet bunch of violets sitting on the table, the fresh vegetables in the garden, or the luscious oranges and (to relieve the monotony) the lemons on the trees in the yard.

The National Editorial Association is in session at New Orleans this week, it being the twenty-fifth anniversary. As we have had the pencil but two weeks we haven't got the fever—not yet.

The Los Gatos Mail says, "The first issue of the Campbell Interurban Press under its new management, Lewis C. Dick, gives a good impression. The Press should be well supported by Campbellites."

The Mayfield News suggests that the new proprietor of the Campbell Interurban Press "Join the noble army of meat boycotters, keep a still upper lip, and pray for the oil boom to hurry."

LITERATURE FOR THE NATION

Millions of New Prohibition Documents
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The nation wide literature campaign now being launched by the Prohibition national committee from its Chicago headquarters, 92 La Salle street, is provoking contagious enthusiasm from one end of the nation to the other.

It is expected that millions of new and revised leaflets and copies of current Prohibition newspaper publications will be put in circulation by eager Prohibition workers in every section.

One of the novel features of this campaign is called the "vest pocket bank," which holds just thirty dimes and which when filled secures for the worker who sends it in to the Prohibition national committee a carefully assorted package of 1,500 Prohibition documents ready for systematic distribution to voters who are friendly and who may be won to the cause. Every one sending in one of these vest pocket banks, which may be secured from Prohibition headquarters, or remitting \$3 receives one of these 1,500 document packages.

The famous plea of Neal Dow to his Prohibition stalwarts in the Pine Tree State, "Let us sow Maine knee deep with Prohibition literature," is now being applied to the nation at large, and it is expected that every voter in the United States will receive his quota of the latest Prohibition facts by means of this literature campaign during the next few months.

Waiting to Find Out.

Cincinnati Tourist (who for the first time has just entered a restaurant in Paris)—Have you ordered? St. Louis Tourist (who has reached the table some minutes before and who looks up from a French bill of fare)—Yes, Cincinnati Tourist—What did you order? St. Louis Tourist (impatiently)—How do I know?—Chicago News.

SUMMONS

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Santa Clara, Dillie M. Thompson, Plaintiff vs. James A. Thompson, Defendant.

Action brought in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Santa Clara, and the Complaint filed in the office of the Clerk of said County of Santa Clara.

The People of the State of California send greeting to James A. Thompson, Defendant.

You are hereby directed to appear and answer the Complaint in an action entitled as above, brought against you in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Santa Clara, within ten days after service on you of this summons, if served within this County, or within thirty days if served elsewhere.

And you are hereby notified that unless you so appear and answer as above required, the said plaintiff will take judgment for any money or damages demanded in the complaint, as arising under contract, or will apply to the Court for any other relief demanded in the Complaint.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Santa Clara, this 3rd day of December, A. D. 1909.

Henry A. Pfister, Clerk
Bassie and Fry
Attorneys for Plaintiff
2-11-10

The Waiter's Tip.
"Splitting a five dollar bill with a waiter when you reach a hotel and promising him the other piece when you leave if well served is a poor game," said a veteran waiter in one of New York's biggest hotels.
"A man tried it on me once, and it made me sore. I took pains to serve him poorly, showing that I did not care for his money. I was so careless that when he was leaving he refused me the other half. I had him sized up for a cheap skate, so I pointed out to him that the piece he had was no good to him as it was and offered to buy it from him for \$2. He thought deeply a minute and declined. Then I offered to sell my half for \$3. Somehow or other this appealed to him, and he bought it and seemed happy. I'll bet he hasn't stopped figuring out yet whether he won or lost. One thing he's sure of—he didn't tip the waiter."—New York Sun.

The Funny Doctor.
Dr. McCree—My dear Mrs. Goodman, how could you bring out a young child on such a day as this with such a strong east wind blowing? Mrs. Goodman—Ah, doctor, you will always have your little joke. How can a child of this age possibly know what wind it is?—London Answers.

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Rates to the East

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May 11, 12, 13, 14, 25, 26, 27
June 2, 3, 4, 24, 25, 26, 30
July 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 25, 26, 27
August 1, 2, 3, 4
Sept. 1, 2, 3, 11, 12, 13, 14

Same rates and destinations as last year. Fifteen days going transit limit, three months returning, not exceeding Oct. 31, except four months allowed May and June dates, to Atlantic coast points when sold in connection with tickets to Europe. Stopovers within transit limit except no stopover in California on going trip, and subject to regulations interested lines east of T C P A gateways.

Will sell to Colorado points only on Sept. 21, 22, 23. Subject tender other lines will sell convention basis to Boston, account N E A June 24, 25, 26. To Atlanta City account G A R Sept. 11, 12, 13, 14. To Detroit, account Elks, July 4, 5, 6. To Milwaukee account Knights of Pythias July 25, 26, 27. To Saratoga Springs account B Y P V June 30th, July 1, 2, and 3.

Account Mystic Shrine, will sell from California Common Points, April 6, 7, 8, to New Orleans and St. Louis, rate \$67.50, to Chicago \$72.50, to Baltimore, Philadelphia, Washington, New York, Boston at same fares as back east tickets last summer. Usual Shasta route arbitraries for one way via Portland. 15 days going limit, three months returning. Usual stopovers outside of California.

Same general colonist arrangements have been authorized March 1st to April 15th, and Sept. 15th to Oct. 15th as were in effect last fall.

Yours truly,
E. Shillingsburg, D F & P A

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